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TO: DOS DATE: DEC 11 78

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE A/CDC/MR
REVIEWED BY John Simms DATE 3-17-81
EXCISIONS DENIED AS INDICATED

REMARKS:

LETTER X MAILGRAM TELEGRAM DATED: DEC 04 78

TO: PRESIDENT CARTER

FROM: [redacted] E 86

SUBJECT: FAMILY WAS INVOLVED IN GUYANA TRAGEDY.

RESPONSE:

CLOSED OUT:

BY DIRECTION OF THE PRESIDENT:

PAMELA ZINN

ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR OF CORRESPONDENCE

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PRESIDENT JIMMY CARTER
STATE CAPITAL
WASHINGTON DC 20500

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

I, [redacted], AS ONE OF THE BEREAVED [redacted] I AM REQUESTING E 6
THAT THE DEATH CERTIFICATES OF THE JONESTOWN TRAGEDY DO NOT BE
WRITTEN OFF AS SUICIDES/MASS SUICIDES, [redacted] E 6
[redacted] MY CHILDREN, AS WELL
AS THE REST WERE HOMICIDES AND THAT IS THE ONLY THING I WILL
ACCEPT ON A DEATH CERTIFICATE. WE ALL MUST SHARE THE BLAME FOR
THIS TRAGEDY, AND MAY GOD HAVE MERCY ON OUR SOULS, FOR NOT
HAVING THE FORETHOUGHT OR COURAGE TO GET THOSE PEOPLE OUT OF
THERE BEFORE WHAT WE ALL KNOW WOULD EVENTUALLY HAPPEN, AND
DID HAPPEN. WE SIT HERE AND ALOOWED 913 PEOPLE TO BE MURDERED,
AND NOW WE WILL TRY TO COMPROMISE THE DEAD W/THE UNFOUNDED
THEORY THAT IT WAS MASS SUICIDE. I WILL ACCEPT MY SHARE OF THE
BALME AS WILL ALL OF US. WE WILL NOT COMPROMISE THE DEAD -- IT
WAS HOMICIDE AND MUST BE STATED ON THE DEATH CERTIFICATES
AS HOMICIDE. BECAUSE I FOR ONE WILL NOT ACCEPT A DEATH CERTIFICATE
W/SUICIDE WRITTEN ON IT - ONLY HOMICIDE.

[redacted] E 6

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